

CENTRAL OREGON NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

TUMALO.

(Special to The Bulletin)
TUMALO, Feb. 28.—The monthly meeting of the Tumalo Literary Club was held Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. N. Brown. Mrs. John Marsh and Mrs. J. A. Thompson assisted the hostess in entertaining. Saturday was Tennyson day, roll call being answered with quotations from his poems. Mrs. Brown had prepared an excellent paper on the life of Tennyson, which was read by Mrs. Mildred Taylor. Mrs. Byron Cady gave "Crossing the Bar" and Mrs. Frank Dayton read "Enoch Arden". The program closed with "Sweet and Low" sung by several of the club members. Mrs. Frank Dayton, Mrs. J. M. Griffin, and Mrs. Arthur Dickerson were appointed to make out the program for the next year which will begin in September.

On Wednesday evening a crowd of almost 40 friends tendered Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Becker a surprise, some of the old fashioned stunts furnished diversion for the evening. Refreshments of beer and cake were served to these guests who included Messadams Goshen, Coen, Flickenger, Becker, Moeh, Stinson, Cady, Wallace, Snyder, Horner, Barker, Lumburg, Taylor, Becker, Howard, Dickerson, and Miss Muck, Messrs Becker, Flickenger, Goshen, Dickerson, Stinson, Barker, Coen, Wallace, Miller, Wilson, Dayton, Gerkling, Norcott, Horner, and Brown.

John Duhals, who has spent some time here inspecting the Tumalo project, left for Salem on Saturday night. The Parent Teacher Association of the Fairview district will have their regular monthly meeting next Thursday.

Mrs. C. J. Mock and Miss Margaret Mock were guests of Mrs. John Ryan at tea on Wednesday afternoon. T. G. Becker has accepted a position with the project as head of the project.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stiles expect to return to town where they will live in the house now occupied by the Patons.

Fifteen friends of Mr. and Mrs. Walker motored over to Alfalfa on Sunday to spend the day with them. Among the party were Mr. and Mrs. John Coen, Mr. and Mrs. R. U. Flickenger, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. B. Gerkling, Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Becker, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Cady, Mr. and Mrs. Rob Sturgeon and daughter, Mrs. J. W. Snyder, Mrs. Mildred Taylor and daughter and Ray Gerkling.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Mock and Miss Margaret Mock spent Sunday at Bend as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Luster.

The usual crowd attended the club dances on Saturday evening.

John Marsh took a load of porkers to Bend on Saturday.

Miss Malba Baker who has been away for several years returned on Saturday morning. She was accompanied by a brother of her father's.

Thos. Hayes of Big Lake, Washington, who owns a contract under the Tumalo project was in last Saturday making arrangements to have 20 acres cleared and the entire tract fenced. A contract for this work was let to T. L. Collier. Mr. Hayes intends making this country his home after next spring.

Repairs on the locks in the Tumalo reservoir were begun last week and the results obtained so far have been very satisfactory. This work will continue and all locks will be puddled as same are developed. It is hoped that the trouble may be overcome in time by this method.

In order to aid the farmer the Bend Flour Mill Co. has this year obtained Apex Land Plaster, a scientific fertilizer.—Adv.

LOST CREEK.

(Special to The Bulletin)

LOST CREEK, Feb. 12.—Robert Whitehead sold his cabin to J. Hach and Messrs. Hach, Rhodes, Helms and Whitehead moved it up on the Hach claim last Thursday.

G. R. Young sold his sheep to C. J. Stauffer last Friday.

C. G. Davis has gone out to Bend for a load of supplies and C. O. Ashley accompanied him.

Mrs. J. O. Perry was a guest of Mrs. J. Hach last Thursday.

S. W. Heat purchased a load of hay and grain at Silver Creek the fore part of the week.

Page Stauffer has been hauling hay for N. Brown during the past two weeks. We understand that Mr. Brown lost eleven head of stock, owing to the lack of feed.

Marvin Perry was a business visitor in our valley last Thursday.

J. E. Smith was expected home from Bend this week, but owing to the bad roads he has failed to put in an appearance.

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HAMPTON.

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HAMPTON, Feb. 17.—Madame M. H. Crow and H. A. Purley visited with Mrs. E. M. Peck Thursday afternoon.

The Hampton Valley Literary Society last Friday night at Mrs. Hicke, after a number of postponements. There was not a very big turnout as the roads are still in a bad condition.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Harris and family spent Thursday at Newton Wells on Lizard creek.

Miss Darle Burton visited Friday night with Miss Ethel Fogg.

W. T. Harrison started for Bend Monday after a load of supplies for the Hampton store.

E. M. Peck and J. P. Whilquet are in Bend this week on business.

Mrs. W. T. Harrison is staying with Mrs. Black on Lizard Creek while Mr. Harrison is in town.

C. B. Harmon spent Monday night

with L. Bennett on Hampton Butte. A good time is reported by those who attended the dance at Imperial on Monday night.

A. S. Fogg and Miss Ethel Fogg took supper at C. B. Harmon's Wednesday evening.

MILLICAN.

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MILLICAN, Feb. 28.—The ladies of Millikan valley will meet at Jackson's Saturday, March 4th, and serve refreshments for the members of the Development League.

Miss Selma Braun entertained a small company of children at her home last Saturday afternoon. Refreshments to the members of the following guests: Opal Conaway, Melba Henkle, Hazel and Gladys Norton, Una Powers, Glenn Mackey and Osa Conaway.

Mrs. George Millikan returned home from Prineville Monday. Mrs. Millikan was hostess to the Women's Club of which she is a member during her stay at the county seat.

Millikan school report for month ending February 25th. Number of pupils enrolled 15, average attendance, 14, cases of tardiness 11, pupils neither absent nor tardy during the month are Walter Goodman, Jay Goodman and Oscar Conaway. Una Powers was absent but one day. Washington's birthday was observed by the school with appropriate exercises.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Evans and Ralph Peppin were business visitors in Prineville Monday. They drove over in Peppin's car.

Owing to the illness of Mrs. Geo. Roberts, the Roberts' will not move out to their homestead the 1st of March as intended.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Mackey leave today for Bend where they expect to reside.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Conaway entertained a few friends at dominoes Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hurwitz were dinner guests at the Goodman home Wednesday.

Among those who were Bend visitors the past week were Frank Hurwitz, P. R. Johnson, Vernon Clevenger, A. G. Allen and Abe Evans.

H. E. Smith and wife of Pine Mountain-ranger station visited Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Allen Sunday evening.

Miss Emma Roberts is staying at home now and rides to and from her school each day.

Joe Mosher of Hemstad was a Millikan valley visitor Thursday.

Red Cooper of Bend and A. G. Allen were Prineville business visitors Wednesday.

A number of the ladies of this community took advantage of the pleasant weather of the past week and spent their time in visiting their friends. Among those who were out calling are Mrs. Geo. Powers, Mrs. A. D. Norton, Mrs. L. R. Rooney, Mrs. Barney Conaway, Mrs. Vernon Clevenger, Mrs. P. B. Johnson and Miss Selma Braun.

Wm. Spencer seeded twenty acres

of rye for L. Goodman last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Conaway were dinner guests at the Egbert Dyer home Tuesday.

Abe Evans has taken a position in Bend and will move his family there the coming week.

Nick Mulkey of Albany, Oregon, was in Millikan valley last week looking for a homestead location.

Mr. and Mrs. George Powers will move to their homestead this week.

Melba Henkle was an over night visitor at the home of Selma Braun Friday.

CLOVERDALE.

(Special to The Bulletin.)

CLOVERDALE, Feb. 28.—Mr. Ruddy of Ambly visited at the Cutlip home the first of last week.

Red Welso made a business trip to Scappoose, Washington, last week. The estate of the late Enoch Cyrus was appraised Saturday.

Mr. Templeton drove to Bend Saturday for Mrs. Templeton who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Spoon.

Mr. Grill of Portland has bought the Hendryx farm. Mrs. Hendryx and children are going the last of the week to White Salmon to visit her mother.

Mr. Hendryx will go to southern Oregon where he is interested in some mines. Later the family will move to Portland, where they have a home near the Jefferson high school.

Calvin Buras made a trip to Bend Friday with a load of grain.

Mr. Hoover autoed out from Bend Sunday bringing Mrs. Van Matre home.

Ray Abbe is hauling grain to Bend the past few days.

Clyde Johnson made a business trip to Ambly, returning Friday.

Mr. Tucke took a load of men to the sale at Lower Bridge Friday.

E. L. Waldron is hauling wood from Hendryx the past week.

J. Skelton is getting out logs and will have them sawed at the Wilson mill and build a barn in the early summer.

Supt. Myers visited our school on Thursday.

An important business meeting of the Council Club was followed by a business given by Miss Gibson, J. Skelton and H. Miller, Friday night.

A game was then participated in by the crowd. Recitations by J. W. Gibson.

Arthur Grube has returned from Antelope where he has been at work for the winter.

The friends of Fay Miller gave her a surprise party on her birthday Saturday, 25 being present.

Mr. Larson is hauling grain to Bend.

E. L. Waldron and W. W. Van Matre are in Bend today on business.

Elvin Van Matre went to Redmond this morning.

Mr. Hesse sent a load of hogs to Bend today.

Cloverdale people find a ready market for about everything they have to sell in Bend.

PINEHURST.

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PINEHURST, Feb. 26.—Among the Pinehurst people that attended the meeting in Tumalo Thursday were Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Root, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Spangh and children, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Dietrich, Misses Ruth Bayley, Esther Dietrich, Alvin Rontvedt and Ethel Snyder.

F. V. Swisher and mother were Bend visitors on Thursday.

Mrs. G. W. Snyder called on Mrs. McAllister one day last week.

John Styles called at the Bayley ranch last Thursday.

G. W. Snyder went to Bend Thursday.

Ruth and Reginald Bayley were calling in Tumalo Sunday.

C. H. Spangh hauled hay to Bend last week.

Mrs. Hatch of Tumalo called at the Snyder home one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Spangh and children and Miss Rontvedt were guests at the Snyder home Saturday night. The evening was spent in music and games.

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PLAINVIEW.

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PLAINVIEW, Feb. 28.—P. G. Powers was in Bend Saturday on business.

Clyde Gist gave a dance at his home Friday night. Everybody reported a good time.

The farmers are very busy putting in spring crops.

Superintendent Myers was visiting the schools in this part of the county the last of the week and reports our school as making good progress under the efficient management of Miss Burgess.

A. E. Lovett and R. A. Ward gave us a very instructive talk on the selection of seeds and how to fight the rabbit and other pests.

James Elkins is hauling hay from Cloverdale this week.

Miss Elpha Gibson is home from her school over Saturday and Sunday.

Attorney De Armond of Bend was here Saturday to adjust some matters in the Snow Creek Irrigation Co.

The program to be given by the Plainview Improvement Club was

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BEND'S BEST GROCERY.

postponed to March the 4th a big supper and a good time is expected.

Henry Parsons came out to his ranch Saturday, returning Sunday.

Rev. Towne filled his regular appointment at Plainview school house Sunday.

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POWELL BUTTE.

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POWELL BUTTE, Feb. 28.—Madame N. P. Alley, R. L. Moore, A. W. Bayn, Allen Willcox, Mrs. J. R. Riggs, Dewey Johnson and Lloyd Bussett attended the high school play in Prineville on Wednesday evening of last week.

M. C. Logan sold 500 head of sheep to Wm. Wilson last week. This makes a flock of 1200 sheep for Mr. Wilson and he will send them to the range for the summer.

Madame C. H. Foster, Geo. F. Beckman, J. Shearer and Allen Willcox were entertained at Miss Bertha Goodsell's on Tuesday of last week.

Earl Saunders recently purchased to head of sheep from Mr. McCormick of Prineville.

Mrs. A. W. Bayn and Mrs. F. B. Bayn were dinner guests of Mrs. S. T. Mustard Tuesday of last week.

F. B. Bayn returned to Deschutes the first of last week after several days visit with A. W. Bayn and family.

Miss Helen O'Neil and Geo. F. Hobbs were guests at the Allen Willcox home on Thursday evening.

George Kendall arrived from Okla-

home the first of last week and will work at the Guy Seara ranch. Mr. Kendall visited this section about two years ago and since then is not satisfied with his home state.

Grandma Brown returned to Prineville on Saturday evening and will have her cancer treated which is hoped to help her eye sight.

The Foster brothers have traded their 40 acres at Powell Butte for a 40 acres of irrigated land west of Redmond.

Allen Willcox and Ora Foster attended the Masonic Lodge in Prineville on Saturday night.

Ross Bussett delivered a load of hogs in Redmond on Saturday.

Mrs. F. B. Bayn returned to Deschutes on Thursday after several days visit with Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Bayn.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Young and

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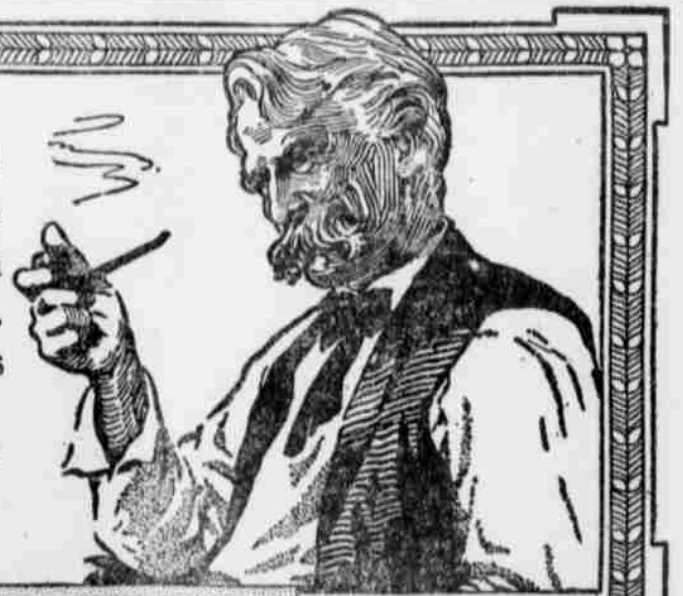
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